



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

CAP Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: April 23, 2019

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: April 22, 2019 Time: 8:14P

Location of Offense/Incident: 3951 E. Livingston Ave

Zone: 2

Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 190318230

Cruiser District: 143

Victim: Kyle William Stewart

Sex: Male

Race: White

Age: 19

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Ernest D. Murphy

Address: 3541 Rand Ct.

☐ Arrested

☒ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 32

Charges: 2903.02(A) Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary: On April 22, 2019, at 8:14PM, Patrol Officers were dispatched to 3951 E. Livingston Ave. on a stabbing incident. Upon arrival, Officers located the victim lying in the parking lot suffering from a stab wound. The victim was then transported by CFD Medic #15 in critical condition. At this time, investigators are still trying to determine the motive behind this incident.

On April 23, 2019, at 3:00AM, the victim succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased.

UPDATE: On May 21, 2020, Homicide Detectives filed the above charges on Ernest D. Murphy for the murder of Kyle Stewart.

This is the 31st Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in the Calendar Year 2019. Detective A. Mall is the lead investigator. The investigation continues.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to contact the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at 614-645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS (8477).

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